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REMARKS

Claims 1-28 remain herein.

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted to amend the title of the invention as applicants wish it to read.

Examination of this application on its merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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DESCRIPTION

5 Video apparatus~~appliance~~, holding device, and manufacturing method
for producing of holding device

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TECHNICAL FIELD

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The present invention relates to a holding device for a display panel such as cathode-ray tube (CRT), and a video appliance incorporating the
10 CRT.

BACKGROUND ART

In a video appliance, for example, a television receiver and display monitor, an injection molding of metal members to form a case for holding or
15 accommodating a display panel has been proposed to enhance a recycling rate. For example, Japanese Laid-open Patent No.10-42227 discloses a case formed by the injection molding of metal members made of magnesium alloy or the like. Japanese Laid-open Patent No.10-336552 proposes an injection molding of a case for a large-sized video appliance with a molding machine
20 having a small clamping force.

Regarding a mounting of a degaussing coil on the CRT, Japanese Laid-open Patent No. 62-85592 and Japanese Laid-open Patent No. 5-284513 discloses, for example, a degaussing coil holding member aside from the holding device (case) for holding the CRT.

25 As the display panel of the video appliance, aside from the CRT, a plasma display panel and liquid crystal panel are used widely.